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TAGS: PLOS

SUBJECT: LOS: HOST GOVERNMENT'S VIEWS ON LOS MATTERS

REF: STATE 175304

1. IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT FOREIGN MINISTER KABORE WILL ATTEND
LOS FIFTH SESSION IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH. HE HAS JUST
RETURNED FROM OAU SUMMIT MEETING AND IS SCHEDULED TO GO TO
CUMBO FOR NON ALIGNED MEETING IN MID AUG.

2. UPPER VOLTA'S INTEREST IN LOS MATTERS IS RESTRICTED TO
RIGHTS OF LAND LOCKED COUNTRIES. THERE ARE NO DIFFERENCES
ON THIS POINT WITHIN GOUV OR WITHIN FOREIGN MINISTRY. IN
PRESS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING HIS RETURN FROM OAU SUMMIT MEETING,
FOREIGN MINISTER KABORE STATED THAT LOS MATTERS HAD BEEN DISCUSSED
AT OAU MEETING BUT THERE HAD BEEN "TOTAL DISAGREEMENT" BETWEEN
RIPARIAN STATES AND LAND LOCKED STATES.

3. KABORE APPEARS TO BE WELL DISPOSED TOWARD THE US BUT
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THE SAME CANNOT BE SAID OF SOME YOUNGER OFFICIALS OF FOREIGN

MINISTRY WHO MIGHT REPRESENT UPPER VOLTA AT LOS CONFERENCE.
THERE IS NO REASON, HOWEVER, FOR UPPER VOLTA NOT TO BE
SYMPATHETIC TO US LOS CONCERNS, PROVIDED, OF COURSE, THAT US
IS SYMPATHETIC TO CONCERNS OF LAND LOCKED STATES.
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